



Sustainability Survey

Term definitions as used in this survey:

Climate Change: Long-term alteration in average temperature and weather patterns on a global scale.

Sustainability: Maintaining conditions under which humans and nature can exist in productive harmony to support present and future generations.

Greenhouse Gasses: Gasses that trap heat in the atmosphere and contribute to warming temperatures.

Many human activities create GHGs such as electricity generation, transportation fuel, and decomposing waste in landfills.

Name: _____ Email: _____

Are you a resident of Monterey Park?

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Yes

☐

No

Would you like to receive email updates on the Going Green program and involvement opportunities?

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Yes

☐

No

How would you like to receive news about the City's sustainability work? Select all that apply.

☐

Email

☐

Mail

☐

Twitter

☐

Instagram

☐

Text

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MPK-TV

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Facebook

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Cascades
Newspaper

Rank your level of agreement with the following statements:

STRONGLY
DISAGREE

DISAGREE

NEUTRAL

AGREE

STRONGLY
AGREE

I understand what climate change means

☐☐☐☐☐

I understand what sustainability means

☐☐☐☐☐

The City needs to take action to protect the environment

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I would like more opportunities to learn about climate change and sustainability

☐☐☐☐☐

In your opinion, how important are the following issues for the City of Monterey Park?

	NOT IMPORTANT	SOMEWHAT IMPORTANT	IMPORTANT	VERY IMPORTANT	EXTREMELY IMPORTANT
Air Pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Water Pollution	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Litter	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Traffic/Congestion	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extreme Heat & Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Decreasing Waste	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Rank your level of agreement with the following statements:

	STRONGLY DISAGREE	DISAGREE	NEUTRAL	AGREE	STRONGLY AGREE
I am aware of sustainable programs and activities offered in my community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know how to reduce my water use at home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know how to recycle and reduce waste at home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I know how to reduce my electricity use at home	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I am aware of programs and rebates available to make my home more efficient	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

Are you aware of the City's Climate Action Plan or sustainability efforts?

☐ Yes ☐ Somewhat ☐ No

Which strategies should the community and City implement to improve **transportation** sustainability? Rank using 1-5 where 1 is the most important.

#___ Add bike and pedestrian pathways, trails, and sidewalks

#___ Improve convenience of public transit (e.g., Spirit Bus, increased weekend transit service)

#___ Add electric vehicle charging stations and incentives to drive electric vehicles

#___ Transition school and transit buses to electric or hybrid

#___ Improve pedestrian safety (e.g., sidewalk maintenance, streetlights, etc.)

Which strategies should the community and City implement to improve **energy** conservation? Rank using 1-5 where 1 is the most important.

#___ Use more renewable energy in city buildings and parks (e.g., solar, wind, etc.)

#___ Make it more affordable to install rooftop solar on homes (e.g. solar pilot program)

#___ Require new homes and commercial buildings to be more energy efficient

#___ Provide incentives to replace gas heating systems and appliances with efficient electric versions in existing homes and commercial buildings

#___ Set a target to achieve low greenhouse gas emissions

Which strategies should the community and City implement to improve **water** conservation? Rank using 1-5 where 1 is the most important.

#___ Set incentives to replace residential turf with drought-tolerant landscaping

#___ Promote drought-tolerant landscaping in public spaces

#___ Provide water check-ups to homes and businesses to optimize water use

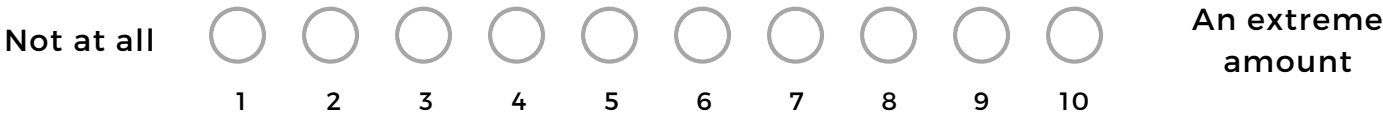
#___ Promote "green infrastructure" to economically and sustainably manage stormwater (e.g., rain gardens, rainwater harvesting systems, etc.)

#___ Provide classes on how to reduce water use at home

Which strategies should the community and City implement to **decrease waste**?
Rank using 1-5 where 1 is the most important.

- #___ Increase recycling compliance through workshops and handouts
- #___ Install more recycling bins for public use
- #___ Take steps to decrease single use plastics (e.g., disposable plastic water bottles, takeout boxes, cutlery, etc.)
- #___ Divert excess food from grocery stores and restaurants to provide for those in

How much do you think climate change impacts your personal health and safety?



Do you have any ideas to improve sustainability in the City of Monterey Park?



Thank you for helping Monterey Park Go Green!
Please send any questions or comments to
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